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In re Application

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment of December 31, 2007 that relates to the amendment document filed on October 5, 2007 which was responding to a pending Office Action dated July 5, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.